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) Group Art Unit: 2811

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) Examiner: Magee, Thomas J.

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 15, 2002, please amend the subject application as follows:

In response to the election requirement in the Office Action of July 15, 2002, Applicant hereby elects without traverse the Group I, claims 1-6, drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 303.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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